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ASSIGNEE CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(B)

The undersigned representative of the above-identified assignee certifies that the above-identified assignee is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-identified patent application by virtue of a chain of title from the inventor(s) of the above-identified patent application to the above-identified assignee as shown below:

From Inventor **LUKAS P.P.P. VAN GINNEKEN** to Assignee **MAGMA DESIGN AUTOMATION, INC.** The document was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 009281, Frame 0964. A copy of the assignment is attached.

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is empowered to sign this certificate on behalf of the above-identified assignee.

MAGMA DESIGN AUTOMATION, INC.

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ASSIGNMENT
of U.S. Origin Patent Application
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WHEREAS, the undersigned, to wit:

1) Lukas P.P.P. van Glonneken

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(hereinafter ASSIGNOR), has made an invention known as Dkt. ~~54355/200208~~ and entitled: -
Timing Closure Methodology for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States
was executed even date herewith and is about to be filed in the United States Patent and
Trademark Office; and

WHEREAS, MAGMA DESIGN AUTOMATION, INC., ASSIGNEE, a corporation
duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having its principal
office and place of business at 953 Commercial Avenue, Palo Alto, California 94303, desires
to acquire an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and
valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the said
ASSIGNOR, does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns
and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention
in the United States and all foreign countries, as described in the aforesaid application, and
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application, together with the right of priority under the International Convention for the
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America adheres, and ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of
Patents to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, for its interest as ASSIGNEE, its
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AND ASSIGNOR hereby agrees to execute any papers requested by ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, deemed essential to ASSIGNEE's full protection and title in and to the invention hereby transferred.

ASSIGNOR furthermore agrees upon request of said ASSIGNEE, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers desired by said ASSIGNEE for the filing and granting of foreign applications and the perfecting of title thereto in said ASSIGNEE.

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Name: Lukas P. van Ginneken

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